

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	: Adrian K West, et al.
App. No	: 10/517,653
Filed	: March 8, 2005
For	: METALLOTHIONEIN BASED NEURONAL THERAPEUTIC AND THERAPEUTIC METHODS
Examiner	: Daniel E. Kolker
Art Unit	: 1649
Conf #	: 5626

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO THE FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action dated on December 9, 2009 in the above-identified application. Applicants submit the following items for consideration in connection with the application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.